

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventors : Magnus Bolmsjö and Sonny Schelin
Serial No. : 10/665,742
Filed : September 17, 2003
Title : Partial-Length, Indwelling Prosthetic Catheter Using Coiled Inflation Tube as an Anchor and Methods of Draining Urine and Flushing Clots

Group Art Unit : 3761
Confirmation No. : 4686
Examiners : Adam Marcketich

Amendment and Response to Third Substantive Office Action

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In consideration of an accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and payment of the fee therefor, please continue prosecution of and amend the above application as follows, in response to the office action of March 30, 2009, the time for response to which has been extended by a Notice of Appeal, a Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review, a Notice of Panel Decision from the Pre-Appeal Brief Review, and the RCE.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 12, 30, 37 and 40.

Amend claims 1, 10, 21, 22, 27, 33, 34-36, 38, 44, 45 and 47.

Add new claims 92-95.

A claims listing showing the form of the pending claims and their status is presented in Part 1 hereof.

REMARKS

Please consider the comments concerning the application, the pending claims, and the March 30 Office Action, presented in Part 2 hereof.